



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yoshihiko NAGATA

Application No.: 10/695,871

Filed: October 30, 2003

For: A PELLICLE FOR LITHOGRAPHY (AS AMENDED)

Group Art Unit: 1756

Examiner : Stephen D. Rosasco

Docket No.: 117639

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**